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<b>Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b> 09/606,503	<b>Applicant(s)</b> CHAPMAN ET AL.	
	<b>Examiner</b> Kevin C. Harper	<b>Art Unit</b> 2666	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

- (1) Kevin C. Harper. (3) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (2) Dean Wolf (Reg. No. 37,260). (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Interview: 16 September 2005.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference  
 c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.  
 If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

Claim(s) discussed: 1,75-78,82 and 83.

Identification of prior art discussed: Jaszewski et al. (US 5,933,420), Chiu et al. (US 5,784,597), Enns et al. (US 2005/0018697).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant's representative proposed amendments to the claims. Examiner noted that the proposed amendments contained limitations not taught or suggested by the Jaszewski and Chui references. Specifically, Jaszewski does not teach or suggest the feature of separately identifying upstream and downstream channels used by the wireless access points and Chui does not teach or suggest allowing some cable modems of a group using a first downstream channel to switch to a second downstream channel while other cable modems of the group continue to use the first downstream channel. Additionally, it was agreed that Enns does not appear to teach or suggest allowing some cable modems of a group using a first downstream channel to switch to a second downstream channel while other cable modems of the group continue to use the first downstream channel.